



Asbestos Detections at the Border

Data provided by Australian Border Force to the Asbestos and Silica Safety and Eradication Agency.

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Month	Number of asbestos tests at the border	Number of detections*	Asbestos types detected	Goods containing asbestos
Dec-24	32	4	4 x chrysotile asbestos	Building products, vehicle parts
Nov-24	101	1	1 x chrysotile asbestos	Building products
Oct-24	95	6	6 x chrysotile asbestos	Building products
Sep-24	34	0	N/A	N/A
Aug-24	70	1	1 x chrysotile asbestos	Motor vehicle
Jul-24	114	3	3 x chrysotile asbestos	Building products, Motor vehicle and Machinery

* Multiple detections within one consignment or shipment is counted as **a single detection** within the statistics. Examples: a single consignment of multiple vehicles (including more than one detection in each vehicle) and/or vehicle parts, multiple gasket types or multiple slabs of cut stone.

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